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METHOD, REMOTE MANAGEMENT
SYSTEM, AND RECORDING MEDIUM
STORING COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR
INFORMATION COMMUNICATION

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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated July 17, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.